Avis Borough Council Meeting Monday, April 4, 2022

Minutes

President Raab presiding with Mayor Harter and Members, Aungst, Brooks, Herman, Gordon, Christian and Fanning Present

Mowing Bids –1. Dyroff's Stump Grinding and More – \$ 635.00 per 10 days 2. David M. Cohick Mowing Service - \$ 475.00 per 10 days David M. Cohick is to provide insurance information at next meeting Mike Herman is taking care of this.

<u>Motion By</u>: Amy Brooks 2nd by: Don Aungst to accept the bid from David M. Cohick Mowing Service. All In Favor

Motion By: Don Aungst 2nd BY: Elmer Christian to Accept the minutes of March 7, with all voting in favor.

Motion by: Don Aungst 2nd By: Elmer Christian to accept the Treasurer Report. All Voting in favor.

General Sewer

Amount of approval - \$17,270.20 \$ 2586.04

Person to be heard: none

Elected officials: Alan Uhler

<u>Motion By</u>: Amy Brooks 2nd BY: Don Aungst to set up Contract for Rich Street and Central Avenue Sewer Contract. All in Favor

<u>Motion By:</u> Amy Brooks 2nd By: Jeremy Fanning to set up to open bids at June 6th Council Meeting All in favor.

Alan informed Council of a rate increase starting in May 2022

Mayors Report: Mayor Ernie Harter

No police report

Zoning Officer Report: Kristian Barger

No Report

Fenstamaker is the new Code Inspector.

<u>Borough Supervisors Report</u>: Ethan Hughes

Motion By: Don Aungst and 2nd By: Tom Gordon to purchase on trial basis up to \$500.00 the big blue bio blocks with All Council Voting in Favor.

Committee's

Street Committee:

The Equipment list to being dropped of at the insurance Company for review and they will send it to the bank.

Sanitary Sewer Committee:

Problem with Sewer inspection from realtors for 201 Fairview Street. Council Stated to Go after the Prior Property owner. Since the Ordinance has no language in it for assessing the fine towards the Realtors.

Sewer Officer needs a new Computer

<u>Motion By:</u> Tom Gordon 2nd By: Elmer Christian to purchase a new computer at their discretion Taken By a roll call Vote – Tom, yes – Elmer, yes – Aungst, yes – Jeremy, yes – Mike, yes – Jeff, yes – Amy, no.

Personnel Committee:

Amy will take care of setting up the designated COG administrator for our account with US Treasury.

Amy will also take care of the Delaware ins. Papers with our past employees.

Motion By: Don Aungst 2nd By: Amy Brooks to fill out the Pa State Association of Boroughs / employee wages and salary information. All in Favor

Ordinance Committee:

<u>Motion By:</u> Tom Gordon 2nd By: Don Aungst to pay the bills before they become past due with two (2) members of Council to Approve them before the president and secretary signs Checks. All voting in Favor

Public Safety Committee:

<u>Motion By</u>: Don Aungst 2nd By: Jeremy Fanning to approving the Mutual Aid Agreement for Emergency Services. Fire, EMS, and Police.

Recreation Committee: Meeting Wednesday April 20 at 7:00PM All are welcome.

Borough Use Forms – Committee to go over.

<u>Motion By</u>: Tom Gordon 2nd By: Don Aungst to have the Med Church permission to block Park Street from Prospect Street to Grove Street. Borough to Supply Barricade's for this event on Saturday April 16. All in favor.

Motion By: Don Aungst 2nd By: Elmer Christian to have the employees go to the 15 Annual Equipment Show & Training Day. All in Favor

Old Business

Motion By: Don Aungst 2nd By: Amy Brooks to purchase Chairs for the council(15) with a \$ 200.00 limit for each with shipping included. All in favor

New Business

Pa Dept of Transportation Grants – Jeff is to talk to Darin Stover

Borough Association – 2nd Tuesday April 12,2022 Beech Creek Host. Nine From Avis to go.

Public Participation:

None

Motion to Adjourn: Amy Brooks